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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: John FOX) Confirmation No.: 9683
Serial No.: 10/775,792) Group Art Unit: TBD
Filed: February 9, 2004) Examiner: TBD

For: ILLUMINATING AND PANORAMICALLY VIEWING A MACROSCOPICALLY-SIZED SPECIMENT ALONG A SINGLE VIEWING AXIS AT A SINGLE TIME

Atty's Docket No.: LIG 0001P

San Diego, California
December 20, 2006

STATUS REQUEST

Mail Stop OIPE
Commissioner of Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

The attached complete transmittal was sent to the OIPE under certificate of mailing on August 10, 2005, as indicated.

No response has been received.

Status is requested.

Due to the age of this case apparently not yet passed to the examining group, the OIPE is requested to call Applicant's undersigned representative at 858 453 3574 AFTER 2:00 P.M. P.S.T. regarding any problems with acting favorably on the Petition.

IF the previous Petition / this Petition properly belongs in the Office of Petitions, then the OIPE is asked to forward it, as was clearly indicated in the initial transmittal. (The Petition is believed properly lodged in the OIPE.) If forwarded, please confirm the party to whom the Petition (this Petition) was/is forwarded to the undersigned via e-mail to wfuess@gmail.com. Thank you. Any receiving party is urged to call or e-mail.

Sincerely yours,

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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this AMENDMENT and the documents referred to as attached therein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail postage prepaid addressed to the: Mail Stop Amendment - Patents, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on the date written below.

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